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Re: MOVIMIENTO DEMOCRATA CRISTIANO  
DE CUBA (MDC)  
(CHRISTIAN DEMOCRATIC MOVEMENT)  
REGISTRATION ACT - CUBA

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The Movimiento Democata Cristiano de Cuba (MDC) is an anti-Castro organization maintaining headquarters at 1732 N. W. 7th Street, Miami, Florida. The MDC has engaged in military and political activities against Cuba in the past.

MM T-1, a Cuban exile engaged in Cuban revolutionary activities for the past five years, on September 5, 1967, advised that information had been received that there are between seven and eight Cuban exiles in the Dominican Republic (DR) trying to set up some sort of a training base in that country. These exiles were reportedly under the leadership of Laureano Batista Falla, one of the officers of the MDC in Miami. (X)(u)

MM T-2, who has been active in Cuban revolutionary matters in Miami for the past ten years, advised on October 10, 1967, that the previous day he conferred with Angel Vega, military leader of the MDC. Vega complained that at the present time the MDC has no military plans or activities, very little military equipment and the organization is now involved in fund raising and political propaganda. Vega indicated that the MDC had no military plans for the immediate future but was waiting for a change in United States government policy which would allow the MDC to again conduct military raids against Cuba. (X)(u)

On October 13, 1967, Laureano Batista Falla, 545 Cadagua Street, Miami, advised that the MDC continues to

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